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Respectfully submitted,

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I, Helmut Fritz, associated with the preparation and prosecution of the above-identified application, residing at Kreuzstraße 11, 83624 Otterfing, Germany, wish to call the attention of the Patent Examiner to the references enumerated on the enclosed PTO Form-1449.

I believe the documents enumerated on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and attached thereto, are cited in the enclosed application as well as in the corresponding International Search Report and may be material to the examination of the application.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the foregoing Information Disclosure Statement be considered by the Examiner and incorporated into the file of this application.

I wish to comment as follows concerning the prior art references enumerated on PTO Form-1449:

For DE 2155258 an English Derwent Abstract is enclosed.

For WO 03/066701 the corresponding US 2003153712 is enclosed which is already in English language.

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WO 00/37533 is already in English language.

US 6,207,766 is already in English language.

US 3,971,751 is already in English language.

WO 96/34030 is already in English language.

US 5,254,657 is already in English language.

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US 5068304 is already in English language.

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Signed this 15th day of December, 2005.


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